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ARRANGEMENTS

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1. SUMMARY: THIS MESSAGE REPORTS ON POINTS COVERED
MAY 24 BY FRG OFFICIALS ON ORGANIZATIONAL ARRANGEMENTS
FOR THE JULY 16-17 ECONOMIC SUMMIT CONFERENCE IN BONN.
CONFERENCE WILL TAKE PLACE ON WELL-SECURED GROUNDS OF
FEDERAL CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE. ACCESS TO CONFERENCE
BUILDING WILL BE RESTRICTED TO SEVEN PERSONS PLUS ONE
SECURITY PER DELEGATION. IN NEARBY BUILDING EACH
DELEGATION WILL RECEIVE ABOUT SEVEN SMALL ROOMS. SITE
OF FINAL PRESS CONFERENCES STILL UNDETERMINED. FRG
REQUESTS CERTAIN ANSWERS BY JUNE 10. END SUMMARY.

2. FRG ORGANIZATION: ON MAY 24 FRG FONOFF OFFICIALS
HELD TWO-HOUR MEETING AT PALAIS SCHAUMBURG (THE
CONFERENCE SITE) TO REVIEW: (A) FRG ARRANGEMENTS AND
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THE SCHEDULE, AND (B) TO SHOW EMBOFFS FROM SIX ATTEND-
ING NATIONS (PLUS EUROPEAN COMMUNITY) THE
SITE LOCATION AND FACILITIES. NEXT SUCH MEETING SHOULD
TAKE PLACE O/A JUNE 20; LAST SUCH MEETING SCHEDULED
FOR O/A JULY 7.

3. SCHEDULE FOR SUMMIT:

SAT., 7/15 ARRIVAL OF DELEGATIONS

SUN., 7/16

1000 FIRST SESSION (ALL ARE IN PALAIS SCHAUMBURG)

1300 LUNCH FOR ALL HEADS OF STATE/GOVERNMENT, FOREIGN AND FINANCE MINISTERS. HOSTED BY CHANCELLOR SCHMIDT IN HIS BUNGALOW (ABOUT 200 YARDS FROM CONFERENCE SITE, ON SAME COMPOUND).

1500 SECOND SESSION

2000 DINNER

- FOR HEADS OF STATE/GOVERNMENT IN SCHLOSS GYMnich (ABOUT 45 MINUTE DRIVE OR 15 MINUTES BY HELICOPTER FROM SITE). HOSTED BY CHANCELLOR.

- FOR FOREIGN MINISTERS IN HAUS VENUSBERG (ABOUT 15 MINUTE DRIVE FROM CONFERENCE SITE). HOSTED BY FONMIN GENSCHER.

- FOR FINANCE MINISTERS IN THE REDOUTE (ABOUT 20 MINUTE DRIVE FROM CONFERENCE SITE). HOSTED BY FINMIN MATTHOEFER.

- POSSIBLY, A DINNER FOR OTHER HIGH-RANKING DELEGATION MEMBERS AT THE GODESBURG (ABOUT 20 MINUTE DRIVE FROM CONFERENCE SITE).

HOST AS YET UNDETERMINED.

MON., 7/17

1030 - THIRD SESSION

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1300 - LUNCH FOR ALL HEADS OF STATE/GOVERNMENT, FONMINS, FINMINS, AND RESIDENT AMBASSADORS IN VILLA HAMMERSCHMIDT (ABOUT 200 YARDS FROM CONFERENCE SITE, WITHIN SAME COMPOUND). HOSTED BY PRESIDENT SCHEEL.

- CONCURRENTLY:

- BUFFET LUNCH FOR HIGH-RANKING DELEGATION MEMBERS AT HOTEL STEIGENBERGER (3 MINUTE DRIVE ACROSS STREET FROM CONFERENCE SITE). HOSTED BY FRG STATE SECRETARY (NAME TO BE DETERMINED).

1530 - FINAL SESSION

- FOLLOWED BY A JOINT PRESS CONFERENCE IN THE BONN STADT THEATER (ABOUT 10 MINUTE DRIVE FROM SITE) OR IN THE STADTHALLE BAD GODESBURG (ABOUT 20 MINUTE DRIVE FROM SITE).

- CONCLUSION OF SUMMIT

EVENING - OPEN FOR DEPARTURES OF DELEGATIONS.

(NOTE: REFTTEL, PARA 5, INDICATED THE FIRST SESSION,

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ETC., WOULD BEGIN AT TIMES DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE. ABOVE
TIMES PREVAIL.)

4. THE CONFERENCE AREA/BUILDING FACILITIES:

A. THE FEDERAL CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE AND THE
FEDERAL PRESIDENT'S OFFICE HAVE DISTINCT PARTS OF A
COMMON COMPOUND. PERIMETER AND INTERNAL SECURITY IS
EXCELLENT.

B. THE PALAIS SCHAUMBURG FORMERLY WAS THE
CHANCELLOR'S AND HIS TOP STAFF'S OFFICE BUILDING PRIOR
TO THEIR RELOCATING TO A LARGER, NEW COMPLEX OF BUILD-
INGS ON THE SAME COMPOUND. THE TWO-STORY PALAIS
SCHAUMBURG WILL BE THE SITE OF THE SESSIONS. ONLY ONE
ENTRANCE IN/OUT WILL BE USED. THE JOINT SESSIONS WILL
TAKE PLACE IN THE GRAND CONFERENCE ROOM, AROUND AN
ELLIPTICAL TABLE WITH SEATS FOR 24 PERSONS (THREE EACH
FOR THE SEVEN NATIONS AND FOR THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY).
AWAY FROM THE TABLE WILL BE EIGHT SMALL SEPARATE TABLES
FOR NOTETAKERS. ON THE SECOND FLOOR EACH DELEGATION
WILL HAVE ONE FAIRLY LARGE ROOM FOR ITS USE. ALSO IN
THE BUILDING WILL BE REFRESHMENT AND MEDICAL FACILITIES.

C. CONFERENCE ANNEX: ABOUT 50 YARDS AWAY IS A
FAIRLY SMALL, THREE STORY BUILDING, KNOWN AS HAUS III,
WHICH WILL BE DIVIDED INTO OFFICE SPACE FOR DELEGATIONS.

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5. ACCESS AND SECURITY: EACH DELEGATION WILL RECEIVE SEVEN PASSES FOR ACCESS INTO THE PALAIS SCHAUMBURG FOR: THE HEAD OF STATE/GOVERNMENT, THE FONMIN, THE FINMIN, A SECRETARY OR NOTETAKER, ONE OTHER STAFF MEMBER, AND TWO BLANK PASSES TO BE ROTATED AMONG OTHERS AS NEEDED. IN ADDITION, EACH DELEGATION WILL RECEIVE ONE PASS DEDICATED ONLY FOR A SINGLE SECURITY PERSON TO ENTER THE PALAIS. THE NUMBER OF PASSES FOR OTHERS REQUIRING ACCESS TO THE COMPOUND ITSELF, AND TO THE HAUS III, IS YET TO BE WORKED OUT.

7. COMMUNICATIONS: PREPARATIONS HAVE ALREADY BEEN MADE BY THE EMBASSY FOR THE USG FORESEEABLE TELEPHONE NEEDS. FINAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR INSTALLATION HINGE ON WHICH ROOMS THE FRG GIVES US IN THE PALAIS AND ALSO IN HAUS III.

8. PRESS ARRANGEMENTS: PHOTO-TV COVERAGE AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH DAY'S SESSIONS. THE LOCATION OF THE CONCLUDING JOINT PRESS CONFERENCE IS UNCERTAIN.

9. ACCOMMODATIONS:

A. AT THE MAY 24 MEETING FRG OFFICIALS REITERATED THE OFFER OF SCHLOSS GYMNIICH FOR THE RESIDENCE OF THE VISITING HEADS OF STATE/GOVERNMENT, FONMINS, AND FIN/MINS; SAID THREE DELEGATIONS (CANADIAN, ITALIAN, AND EUROPEAN COMMUNITY) HAD ACCEPTED; AND INDICATED MOST OTHER PRINCIPALS WERE STAYING AT THEIR LOCAL AMBASSADORS' RESIDENCES.

B. THE FRG REPORTED 20 ROOMS HAD BEEN RESERVED FOR EACH DELEGATION AT THE NEARBY HOTEL STEIGENBERGER. (EMBASSY HAS ACCEPTED THAT OFFER AND, ON ITS OWN, HAS RESERVED ADDITIONAL ROOMS).

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10. WHAT THE FRG WANTS FROM US: EACH NATION REPRESENTED AT THE MAY 24 ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING WAS REQUESTED TO PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING BY JUNE 10 AT THE LATEST:

A. DELEGATIONS: THE NUMBER (NAMES AND POSITIONS, IF POSSIBLE), ETA AND ETD FOR ARRANGING RECEPTION/FAREWELL AT AIRPORTS.

B. ACCESS TO COMPOUND: HOW MANY PERSONS WILL REQUIRE PASSES PERMITTING ACCESS TO THE COMPOUND, AND TO HAUS III. (ONLY SEVEN PASSES PLUS ONE FOR SECURITY FOR THE PALAIS.)

C. MEDICAL: BLOOD TYPES AND ANY SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS FOR MEDICAL SUPPORT FOR PRINCIPALS.

11. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE AS MUCH GUIDANCE AS MAY

BE AVAILABLE RE FRG QUESTIONS IN PARA 10 ABOVE.
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